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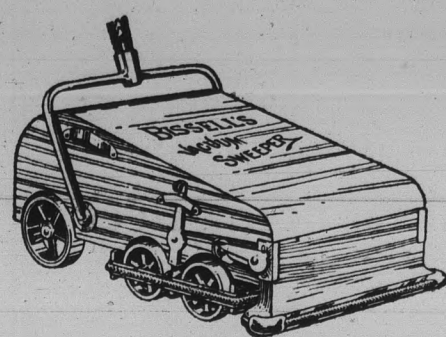
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SONOMA, SONOMA COUNTY, CAL., FEBRUARY 6, 1915

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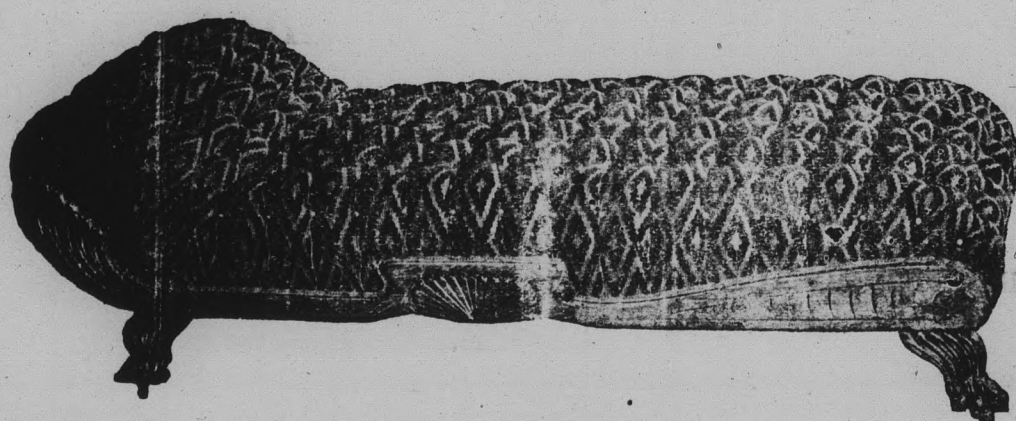
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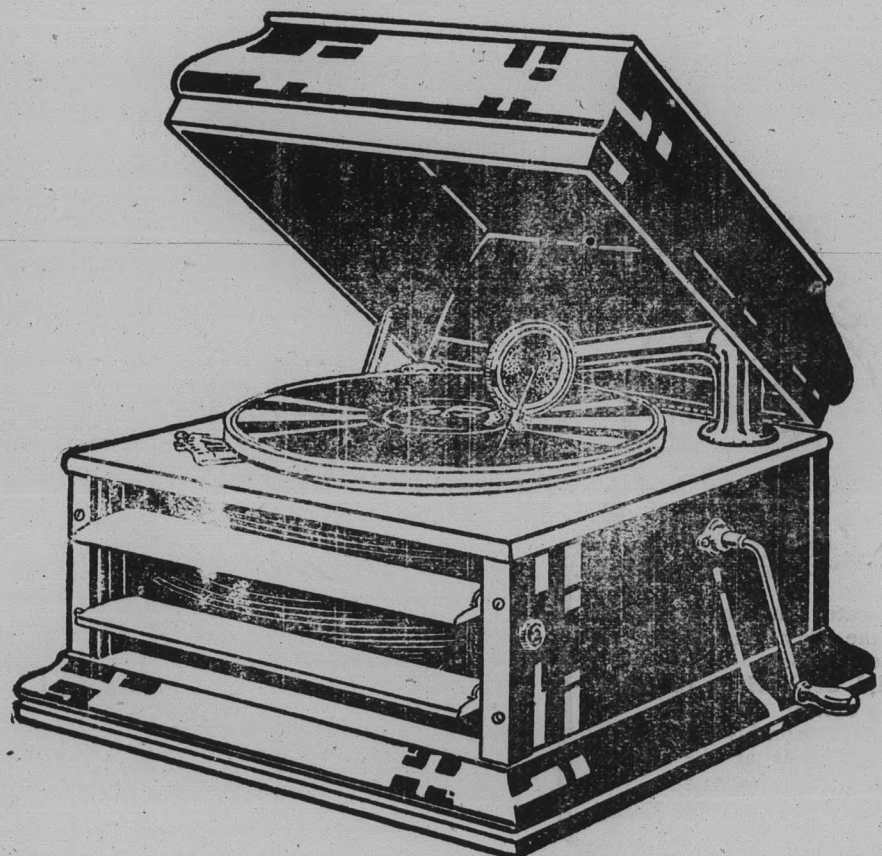
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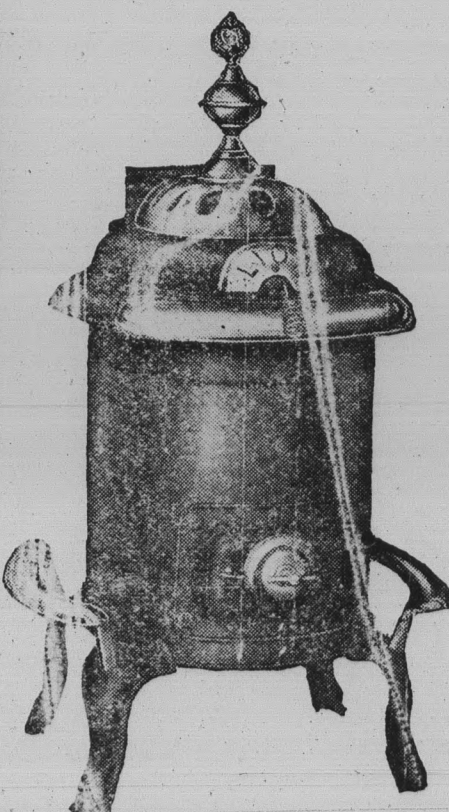
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## Happenings Gathered in the Sonoma Valley of Business, Fraternal, and General Character.

### Realty Transfers Through the Wagner Agency

Sonoma's enterprising real estate agent, O. R. Wagner, reports the transfer of a couple of pieces of realty last week, and in both instances the population of Sonoma Valley has been increased.

The sale of four and one-half acres on the Ritz tract, Buena Vista, owned by Mr. Wagner and his partner, W. J. Hiser, was made, the purchaser being C. Romander, of San Francisco. The property—a most desirable home site—is quite well improved, with a cozy cottage thereon. The new proprietor and his family have already taken possession.

The Frederickson place, comprising house and two acres of land, located at El Verano, was sold by Mr. Wagner to Mrs. Muldini, of San Francisco, Tuesday last. The lady, with her son and daughter, took immediate possession.

The Index-Tribune is glad to welcome these new-comers to this section, for we have plenty of room and a cordial welcome for desirable residents. We believe and hope these new residents in the Sonoma Valley—the Romander and Muldini families—will find their lot has been cast in pleasant places.

Mr. Wagner reports considerable inquiry, and is firm in the belief that, with the immense influx of visitors from other States to California during this great Exposition year, this valley will be visited by vast numbers of home-seekers, who cannot but appreciate the superior inducements we have to offer, and as a result many transfers of property may be expected.

With such live and reliable men as Messrs. Wagner and Hiser to advertise the remarkable fertility of Sonoma Valley soil, which is sold at a reasonable figure—the clarity and health-giving qualities of our climate, the Index-Tribune feels assured that many Easterners who come to the Golden State to visit will decide to remain within her borders. Of these the peerless "Valley of the Moon" will get its share of seekers for an ideal home spot.

### Numerous Lots Being Sold by Thos. H. Baines

Sonoma's are not the only real estate agents who are doing business—not by long odds!

In our thriving little northern neighbor, El Verano, bustling "Tom" Baines has sold more than a half dozen town lots since the first of the year, and previous to that a considerable number of home sites, in and around El Verano, had been sold by Real Estate Agent Baines.

This means that there's going to be some lively building operations in that progressive locality when the settled weather conditions permit, and long before mid-summer merges into fall, many new and substantial homes will grace that part of the valley.

Mr. Baines anticipates marked growth for his home town during this memorable year—not a boom, he says, which is not, as a rule, either desirable or lasting, but a solid, permanent upbuilding, which will help in making El Verano a goodly-sized Sonoma County city of the not-far-distant future.

### Sonoma Homes Receive Favorable Comment

While on the subject of home-seeking and home-building, we are reminded of a comment made by C. Rose, a prominent real estate man of Santa Cruz, to A. W. Adler, during a recent visit here. Mr. Rose was taken by Mr. Adler around Sonoma, and during the tour of inspection, Mr. Rose paid the highest compliment to the number of attractive bungalows for a city so small as our own.

A handsome bungalow recently erected is that of Z. Lane, on the beautiful suburban property formerly owned by George Engler. The new home—which was taken possession of by Mr. Lane and his family the first of the year—is a modern and spacious structure. The mill work for the Lane house was furnished by A. W. Adler.

### Board of Trustees in Regular Monthly Session

The Board of Trustees met in regular monthly session at the City Hall, Wednesday night, February 3d.

President Von Hacht was in the chair, and Trustees Breitenbach, McDevitt, Johnson and Dal Poggetto were present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read, approved and, on motion of Dal Poggetto, seconded by McDevitt, ordered paid:

Peter Basaglia	\$ 6 25
Cal Tel & Light Co.	81 10
F. Clewe	8 45
Cal Corrugated Culvert Co.	19 32
Thos Lewis	11 25
R. A. Poppe	25 00
B. F. Campbell	46 75
B. F. Campbell	274 70

Sonoma City Water Works Company

Sonoma Valley L't. Water & Power Company

George Leiser

J. G. Marcy

H. W. Gottenberg

J. H. Albertson

N. & M. Hardware Co.

L. H. Green

R. Quartaroli

H. Pooler

Poll Tax Rebate for Fire Department

J. Fochetti

F. T. Duhring

Motion made by McDevitt, seconded by Johnson, that insurance be accepted.

The report of City Marshal Albertson was received and placed on file.

Motion was made by Johnson, seconded by Dal Poggetto, that \$600 be paid on Library.

On motion of Breitenbach, seconded by McDevitt, the City Clerk was authorized to draw bond and interests warrants when due.

Motion was made by Breitenbach, seconded by Dal Poggetto, that \$1,975 be placed in bond and interest fund.

Motion was made by Breitenbach, seconded by Dal Poggetto, that Plaza Committee have full power to act in regard to trees in front of Library.

Motion was also passed that the Plaza Committee have walk in front of Library finished.

On motion of Breitenbach, seconded by Dal Poggetto, the Board adjourned to February 20th at 7:30 p. m.

### Sonoma To Have Another Butcher Shop

L. E. Darling, who for some time has held a position in the butcher shop of Maffei Brothers, has decided to engage in a business venture of his own, and has purchased the counters and other shop equipments from the former Hansen establishment, which will be used in the conduct of the butcher shop to be opened by him in the Castagnasso Building, in the store-room, now occupied by Maffei Brothers. The latter gentlemen expect to vacate the premises for their new quarters within the next fortnight. Mr. Darling is an energetic and capable young man, liked and respected, and we hope and bespeak for him a generous share of public patronage.

### Mrs. Hunt Falls and Dislocates Ankle

Mrs. Cecelia Hunt, while walking down First Street West, Sunday afternoon, and when in front of the Regusci home she tripped on a loosened board and fell into the gutter, sustaining a painful dislocation of her right ankle. Dr. W. B. Hays was summoned and dressed the injured foot, and Mrs. Hunt—who is a sister of Mrs. May Ehrlebach and W. D. Kistle—is progressing splendidly. By the way, it would be well for the Street Committee to investigate the spot where the accident occurred, and either have the board securely fastened or removed entirely, as accidents have been narrowly averted in the same place on previous occasions.

### Kistle & Company Move Into New Quarters

Kistle & Company, the well-known and reliable dealers in poultry feeds and supplies, hay, grain, coal, and all else in this line, are now greeting friends and patrons in their new quarters in the Maffei Building, on Napa Street, into which they moved Friday and Saturday last.

The extension of storeroom, Mr. Kistle finds, will greatly facilitate the more satisfactory handling of his trade which is steadily on the increase. Greater storeroom capacity permits of larger invoices of produce being received, and, therefore, the prompt filling of local orders.

Uniform courtesy, promptness, and honest dealing are the established axioms of Kistle & Company, unflinchingly followed by Mr. Kistle and his very competent chief assistant and bookkeeper, Mrs. May Ehrlebach, and assistant salesman, Charles Kelley.

### G. W. Reed Local Agent Twenty-Two Years

Tuesday of last week, January 26th, was an anniversary for G. W. Reed, as on that date, twenty-two years ago, the gentleman came to this city, having accepted the position of local agent for the Northwestern Pacific Railway Company. Throughout that extended period of time, Mr. Reed has remained at his post in the little railway station, giving to his employers and to the traveling public the most painstaking and intelligent of service, and the benefit of wide and varied experience gained by him during many years of similar service. Prior to his coming to Sonoma, Mr. Reed was connected with the Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company, Iowa.

The years spent by Mr. Reed in this valley have recorded the forming of many fine and lasting friendships, as a result of his sterling character and agreeable personality and the sentiment is general that he is the "right man in the right place."

### A. L. Wells Doing Fine Decorative Work

A. L. Wells, one of most artistic of Sonoma's "knights of the brush," is busy exercising his fine skill painting signs for Kistle & Company's Feed Store and Maffei Brothers' Butcher Shop. When placed in position, patrons of the two establishments will experience no difficulty in locating either place of business.

Mr. Wells has also been engaged in redecorating the library and the rest of the main part of the beautiful suburban home—El Cerito Ranch—of A. E. Tower.

### Arthur Fisk Buys Ford

Arthur H. Fisk, of San Francisco, son-in-law of Mrs. Katherine Buchanan of this city, recently purchased a five-passenger Ford automobile, in the use of which the young man hopes and expects to combine business with pleasure. The machine was purchased through the reliable agency of Busby & Coates of Sonoma.

### Auto 'Bus Changes Time

Commencing Tuesday, February 2nd, the time of the Sonoma 'bus of the Sonoma County Transportation Company changed from 7:20 a. m., to 7 a. m., on route for Santa Rosa and way stations. In the afternoon, the 'bus will leave Sonoma at 1:30 o'clock, instead of 1:50 p. m., as heretofore.

Jos. F. Ryan was prominent Sonoma business man in the Bay City this week.

Attorney Ernest Clewe came up from San Francisco and spent the week-end with home folk.

Rudolph Wagner, who holds a responsible position as traveling salesman for the Standard Oil Company, San Francisco, was a welcome home visitor to his parents—Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Wagner—and friends last week.



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H. M. GRANIER, EDITOR

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Sonoma, California, FEBRUARY 6, 1915.

## News of the Week from Vineburg and Schellville

### VINEBURG

Charles Gieskopf was the guest of city friends, Sunday last.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather, a number of city people visited the burg, Sunday last.

Fred Batto was called to the metropolis, Wednesday last, on important business and returned the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lebrke, after spending several days in this vicinity, departed for San Francisco, Monday afternoon.

Miss Mary Batto, after a two weeks' visit to her parents at the John Batto residence, returned to the Bay City, on Saturday afternoon.

Walter Bundschu, superintendent of the Gundlach-Bundschu Wineries, spent the week-end in the bay cities, combining business with pleasure.

Messrs. Stoneberg, H. H. McPherson, W. H. Burr, R. Colton and M. H. Potter, civil engineers engaged on the California State Highway, are guests at New Vineburg Inn.

A. H. Rubke, our local merchant, paid a business visit to the metropolis, last Saturday, and informs us he saw a great many strangers there. Well, Dolph, that is all was the case.

We learn from good authority that a butcher shop will be installed in Vineburg in the near future. If it proves true, as we hope it will, the people of this vicinity will be very glad.

Mrs. Emma Hicks, of San Antonio, Texas, is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Rubke, at Vineburg. After a short visit, the lady will return to the "Lone Star State."

The dance at the New Vineburg Inn, Saturday night, February 6th, promises to be a swell affair. The Pauli-Hansen Orchestra of Sonoma, will furnish excellent music. Admission, twenty-five cents. The dance will take place "rain or shine."

Our marshal, Henry Forni, can not tell what time to go on duty, or what time to go off duty this kind of weather, as he cannot keep track of the sun. Never mind, Henry, wait 'til the good old summer time—then, the sun can't fool you.

Fritz Selig, the popular foreman of Adam Adler's Planing Mill, Sonoma, was exchanging greetings with his many Vineburg friends, Monday last. Fritz is a past master in his line of business, and has many friends in this part of the valley.

Messrs. Short and Fred Dittman, of the Sperry Flour Company, were guests at Batto's Spur, Tuesday. Mr. Short will superintend and manage the Sperry Company's Exhibit at the Exposition, while Mr. Dittman is the Company's popular traveling salesman in this part of the State.

Vineburg was well represented at the Native Sons' Grand Ball, in Sonoma, last Saturday night. Vineburg always responds to any event of a charitable nature. All who had the pleasure of being present report a good time and speak highly of the pleasant affair.

Miss Pauline Schenberg, a popular young member of the social circle in the Western Addition, San Francisco, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Dommick Colli, at Bird's Nest Cottage, North Vineburg, several days last week. Every one who had the pleasure of meeting the young lady speaks highly of

her vivacious manners and charming personality.

All the social "sets" in this vicinity are already talking of the coming grand ball, to be given in Sonoma on St. Patrick's night, March 17th, under the auspices of the Sonoma Baseball Team. They are all sure of having a good time when the affair will be managed by such veteran society leaders as Manager James L. Modini and Captain Ralph Eyan.

Mrs. Baehr (nee Miss Lulu Dependener), of San Francisco, has been appointed teacher of the Hui-chia School and will hold the position until the recovery of her mother, Mrs. Carrie Dependener, who was severely injured in a bad fall sustained by her Monday of last week. The lady is resting very comfortably at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Breitenbach, in Sonoma. Mrs. Baehr, by-the-way, was a former successful teacher in Glen Ellen.

EASY JIM.

### SHELLVILLE

Otto Erandt was a well-known visitor in the bay cities last week.

Richard Bosworth entertained a few friends at his cozy home, Sunday last.

Charles Potter, road overseer, transacted business in Santa Rosa, Monday.

Logan Beamer is busy working for Fred Schell, at his fine chicken hatchery.

Geo. Millerick, of San Francisco, came up, Sunday, to visit relatives and friends.

Arthur Landsborough left Tuesday for a brief trip to San Francisco and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Marcucci, of Embarcadero, entertained Caliente relatives, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Steiger, of Caliente, were in Schellville, Thursday combining business with pleasure.

After a pleasant visit at the A. F. Hopke home, relatives departed Wednesday afternoon on the Southern Pacific south-bound train.

Miss Helen Johnson arrived here Thursday morning to inspect her barn, which the heavy winds of this week damaged a great deal.

Mrs. G. R. Langer and little son Leo of the "Jewel City" spent the week-end at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Erhard Steiger.

Friends will hear with regret of the severe illness of Mrs. Fred Helberg, but under the care of Dr. A. M. Thomson, family and friends hope for a speedy recovery. Miss Valeria Helberg was called from San Francisco, Wednesday, to attend her mother.

HAPPY JACK.

## Sloppy and Muddy Streets Are Not Desirable

However, they can not be remedied at once, so the best thing you can do is to buy a pair of rubbers or boots to enable you to keep your feet dry. F. Clewe is selling them at a discount of 10 per cent for a few days.

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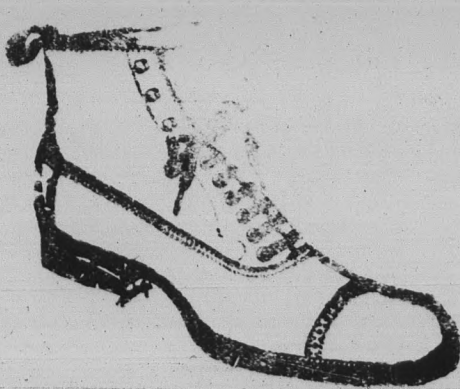
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## Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company

### Official Time Schedule.

Leave Sonoma	Effective NOV. 16, 1914	Arrive Sonoma
DAILY.	TO AND FROM	DAILY.
7:18 A M	San Francisco	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	San Rafael and Intermediates	6:59 P M
	Glen Ellen and Intermediates.	9:59 A M
7:18 A M	Novato	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	Petaluma Santa Rosa and Intermediates.	6:59 P M
7:18 A M	Cloverdale	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	Healdsburg Lytton and Intermediates.	6:59 P M
7:18 A M	Ukiah	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	and Intermediates	6:59 P M
7:18 A M	Whites and Sherwood	6:59 P M
7:18 A M	Sebastopol	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	and Intermediates.	6:59 P M
7:18 A M	Guerneville	6:59 A M
3:40 P M	and Intermediates.	
	SUNDAYS.	
Leave Sonoma	Arrive Sonoma	
7:18 A M	9:59 A M	
4:17 P M	6:59 P M	
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Melitta	10:05	4:20
Kenwood	10:25	4:40
Glen Ellen	10:40	4:55
Eldridge	10:45	5:00
Hot Springs	11:10	5:25
Sonoma	11:35	5:40

ARRIVE	12:15	6:30	3:00	11:45
LEAVE	12:15	6:30	3:00	11:45
Napa	6:30	1:00	9:00	4:00
Sonoma	7:00	1:30	9:30	4:30
Hot Spring	7:35	2:05	10:05	5:05
Eldridge	8:00	2:30	10:30	5:30
Glen Ellen	8:05	2:35	10:35	5:35
Kenwood	8:20	2:50	10:50	5:50
Melitta	8:30	3:10	11:10	6:10
ARRIVAL	9:10	1:30	11:30	6:30
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## Jo V. Snyder Officially Visits Glen Ellen Parlor



JO V. SNYDER

Saturday night, January 30th, was certainly "Native Son day" in Glen Ellen, the occasion being the official visit of Jo V. Snyder, Grand Third Vice President of the order, and also the installation of Glen Ellen Parlor's new officers, as follows:

Past president, John M. Sobbe; president, A. Kunde; first vice-president, Harold Flood; second vice-president, E. W. Sobbe; third vice-president, B. M. Bones; recording and financial secretary, Chas. J. Poppe, treasurer, John H. Weise; marshal, Julius Pancrazi; sentinel, H. J. Chauvet.

The meeting was largely attended and after the business session, all present repaired to the Roma Hotel, where an elaborate banquet was enjoyed, and at which was present a number of ladies and eligible Native Sons.

Hon. Robert P. Hill acted as toastmaster, and in his usual happy manner endorsed the various speakers, chief among whom was the distinguished guest of honor.

Mr. Snyder made an excellent talk on the work accomplished by the order, arousing great enthusiasm among his fraternal auditors and creating a greater degree of pride in the great brotherhood of the Golden West.

Special stress was laid by him upon the desire to preserve the landmarks of California, and the speaker reviewed the restoration of Sutter's Fort at Sacramento, Monterey Custom House, and paid tribute to the Native Sons for the erection of a monument to the memory of Gen. A. M. Winn, who founded the fraternity, in Sacramento; the urging of the purchase by the State of the Big Basin redwoods in Santa Cruz county, and advocated making Yosemite Valley a National Park, erecting a memorial to Junipero Serra (the founder of the California Missions), the restoration of the Missions at San Jose, San Fernando, Santa Cruz and San Juan Capistrano; assisted in the erection of the Sloat monument at Monterey, and of Stephen M. White at Los Angeles; erected a memorial at Mare Island Navy Yard in memory of Rear Admiral Sloat, Admiral Farragut and Commodore Stockton; obtained title and restored the old General Vallejo adobe at Petaluma; erected a monument at Camp Far West, Yuba County; took the lead in the restoration of historical El Camino Real and erected bell signposts along the Real; presented a stand of colors to the cruiser California; maintains two fellowships at the State University for a research of early California history; urged the State to restore the Mission San Francisco de Solano and to construct the Bear Flag Monument at Sonoma; preparing to erect a

\$200.00 monument on the shores of Donner Lake, as a tribute to the ill-fated Donner party and the pioneers of California; had a bill introduced in Congress to make Lake Tahoe a National Park; presented a large Bear Flag to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, and is assisting in erecting a Mothers' Monument at the Exposition.

Mr. Snyder dwelt on the work the fraternity is doing in providing homes for homeless children; of the reverence that is paid the pioneers, and stated that the order intends to ask the Legislature to include the study of early California history in the public schools; also to petition the State to give historic names to the State highways and to the old emigrant roads and trails; also to provide suitable names for some twenty-five of California's nameless mountain peaks; told of the many handsome Native Sons' buildings erected in various cities of the State, and related how the order succeeded in having Admission Day proclaimed a legal holiday, and the Bear Flag made the State flag of California; also to have the State prepare a roster of early California pioneers.

Mr. Snyder concluded his interesting recounting of the accomplishments of the order by telling how employment bureaus are maintained in several of the larger cities, and citing various instances of the order taking the lead in beautifying cities and towns.

### Brevities

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Robt. Poppe, next Tuesday afternoon.

Ralph Buchan, who is an attaché of the Red Cross Hospital Corps, at Mare Island, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Katherine Buchan.

Paul Robin, Sonoma's popular tonsorial artist, will move into his spacious and handsome parlors in the Maffei Building, Monday. His attractive new quarters will afford Mr. Robin splendid accommodations for his extensive patronage.

As we go to press, we learn that the contest for Justice of the Peace of Sonoma Township had just been concluded, resulting in favor of the newly-elected justice, Lester Small, who gained four votes over the other returns, giving him a plurality of nineteen. Judge Small was represented by Attorney Philip Ware, of Santa Rosa, while Attorney Barrett of the county seat, looked after the interests of Judge Campbell. Judge Small was showered with congratulations yesterday afternoon.

The El Verano Development Association held an interesting and well attended meeting, Thursday night, at which the following officers were elected for the new term: Pres., Thos. H. Baines; vice-president, Chas. Daniels; sec., R. J. Weaver; treas., Emmet Mullen; trustees—B. F. Keechler, Leo Baines and Carl Weaver; master-at-arms, T. O'Halloran. A fine "feed" was served, during the discussion of which oratory and wit flowed in abundance.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our heartfelt gratitude to the many whose friendship and sympathy was expressed during the illness and at the death of our beloved daughter and sister, Matilda Clara Laurenzi. Our sincere thanks are also rendered for the beautiful flowers. MR. AND MRS. PETER LAURENZI AND FAMILY.

## The Week's Record of Social Doings, Club Notes and Personal Movements.

### Judge Lester Small Entertains on Birthday

As we informed our readers last week, Saturday, January 30th, was an auspicious day for his Honor, Judge Lester Small, when he reached another milestone—the twenty-ninth—in life's journey.

Just a few—for the comfortable home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. B. Small, wouldn't be adequate to accommodate a third of his circle of friends even, gathered to extend congratulations, and enjoy the evening in card-playing.

In the indulgence of the favorite pastime, Rev. J. Henry Oehlhoff had the good fortune to win the prize—a pretty, crystal ash tray. Jerome Jansen was awarded the booby prize—a unique character character doll—greatly to the merriment of the company when Judge Small, Sr., expressed his gratification at Jerome's winning the prize, "as he had certainly worked hard for and deserved it."

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Small, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. La Torres, Mr. and Mrs. H. John Shelden; Mesdames Robt. Poppe and Fred Bulotti; Misses Eda Gillen, Emily Poppe, Providence La Torres and Gladys Small; Messrs. J. Henry Oehlhoff, Archie Revie, Walter Bonner, Jerome Jansen, Ed Pohley and Spencer Harris.

Throughout the county Sonoma's young justice of the peace is well and favorably known, with a host of friends who unite with those in this city in hoping that scores of years make up life's span for Lester Small.

### Seventeenth Birthday Anniversary Celebrated

Monday last was the seventeenth anniversary of the birth of a popular lady of the younger set—Miss Martha Langraf—and the event was delightfully celebrated in the evening at the elegant home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Adler, with whom the young lady resides, and by whom a genuine "surprise party" was arranged in her honor.

The invited guests assembled at the El Dorado Hotel, and en masse proceeded to the Adler home, taking the recipient of the honor "perfectly unawares."

The occasion was one long to be remembered by the jolly party of young people, as the arrangement of the beautiful home is ideal for entertaining, and the Adler hospitality is at all times lavish.

Dancing was the principal feature of entertainment, interspersed with other pastimes and the enjoyment of a delicious repast.

Not until the wee sma' hours did the merry company disperse, wishing for their esteemed girl friend many more happy birthdays.

Those present were: Mrs. Julius Fochetti, Jr., Misses Nancy and Zoleta Bates, Gladys Simmons, Mary Springer, Florence DeSart, Anita, Dorothy and Doreles Breitenbach, Eleanor Kehoe, Mary Rossi, Irma Adler; Messrs. Ray Johnson, Ralph Evans, Joe McMullin, Ray Cooper, Harry Quarantoli, Leland Brubeck, Ralph Busby, Will and James Kehoe, Paul Thomson and Leland Adler.

### Domestic Science Students Hostesses at Luncheon

The Misses Eleanor Kehoe, Dorothy Dobbie, Anna Bolin and Josephine Venton, who comprise the first section of the Domestic Science Class of the Sonoma Valley Union High School, were hostesses at a luncheon, Tuesday, at which the guests of honor were the Misses Hawkins, Schofner, Johnson and Rowell.

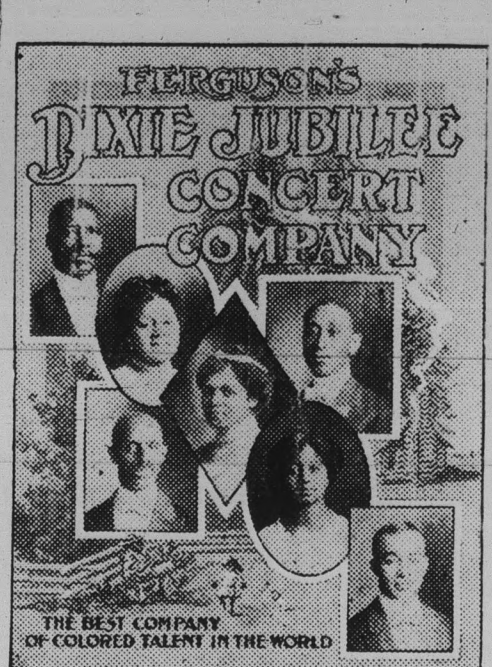
The typing room of the school was transformed into an attractive dining-room by the effective combination of yellow crepe paper, delicately-scented narcissus and smylax.

The young ladies were highly complimented for the excellence of the menu, and their deftness and grace at service.

The Domestic Science Department has met with general approbation and much favorable criticism. This is the first opportunity given the department to demonstrate its efficiency.

A dancing party was given last night at Woodman's Hall, by the young ladies of the Golden Hour Club, at which a large number of friends of the members were entertained. The arrangement of the function was in the hands of the Misses Helen Antrim, Nancy Bates, Mary Springer, Ethel Shane, Mildred Erickson and Norma Jansen.

### Concert by Dixie Jubilee Colored Artists



Sonoma Valley music lovers are anticipating a rare treat Friday night of next week, February 12, in the concert to be rendered by this famous company of colored artists, who are the delight of the American public. The company is made up of—

Madame Neale Hawkins Buckner, the greatest soprano of her race, and who has been especially effective in building up the reputation of the company as the greatest Jubilee attraction this country has known;

Hopie Moore, tenor and humorist;

Helen Smallwood, contralto; M. E. Atkinson, tenor, has an exceptionally high voice of splendid quality, especially pleasing in ballad and jubilee selections;

Allie B. Freeman, pianist, is one of the best soloists and her work has evoked much favorable comment;

Hillard Bird, baritone. Wherever these singers have appeared, they are highly complimented by the press, especially for the perfect blending and harmony of their voices in the choruses and quartettes.

The program comprises comic, classic and sentiment songs of the Southland, cabin and river songs of the old slavery days, plantation songs and lullabies, jubilees and camp meetin' songs.

Sets for the concert, which is to take place at Union Hall, may be secured at the pharmacy of L. S. Simmons. Reserved seats are seventy-five cents, and general admission, fifty cents.

Union Hall should be crowded on this occasion so that the gentlemen of the Board of Directors of the Congregational Church—who had the courage to undertake a financial venture of such magnitude, will find their enterprise is not only appreciated, but has also proved a financial success.

### Sonoma Residents Convalescing from Illnesses

From Mrs. Fred Lowell, who is at the St. Francis Hospital, San Francisco, are received hopeful reports, which are noted with sincere pleasure by Sonoma Valley friends. Mrs. Lowell's condition has caused the gravest apprehension, but at the present writing, we are glad to chronicle the fact that she is resting comfortably, and making favorable progress toward recovery.

The host of Sonoma friends of Miss Inez Reed will learn with pleasure that that much-esteemed young lady is steadily regaining her health, and has been able to leave the St. Francis Hospital, San Francisco, where she underwent a capital operation, with Dr. Wallace I. Terry as the operating surgeon. Miss Reed will return to this city shortly to more fully recuperate at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed.

The friends—and they are legion—of Mrs. W. H. Hanger will be greatly pleased to note that she is convalescent. Mrs. Hanger has been quite seriously ill for more than a fortnight, suffering from an attack of la grippe, her condition causing family and friends considerable anxiety for a time.

Mrs. E. T. Casson, another of Sonoma's esteemed matrons, who had also been quite ill for a couple of weeks, has sufficiently recovered to be about greeting friends—much to their gratification.

We are pleased to note, as are the many other friends of Mrs. H. A. Trudgen that she is convalescent from a bad attack of la grippe, and is again able to resume her dressmaking, to the satisfaction of her many patrons, who are already planning pretty spring gowns.

Miss Gertrude Breitenbach continues to improve rapidly, and will soon be enjoying her usual good health. Miss Breitenbach—a fa-

vorite attaché of the State Hospital at E. Dridge—it will be remembered, suffered a severe attack of bronchial pneumonia. Miss Breitenbach is spending a fortnight at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Breitenbach, in this city.

Mrs. Arthur Skinner and her three little ones are sincerely rejoicing over the fact that the children have recovered from the measles, which had necessitated their confinement for several weeks.

### Movements of Sonoma and Their Friends

Mrs. O. Schuman and daughter, Mrs. Phillip Bill, Jr., were prominent Sonoma Valley residents in San Francisco last week.

Miss Alice Berg, of Oakland, who has won many friends during her frequent visits to Sonoma, was the guest of Mrs. Ben Borden the week-end.

Miss Emily Poppe came up from the University of California at Berkeley and spent the week-end with her parents, Attorney and Mrs. Robt. A. Poppe.

Mrs. A. Canepa came over from Petaluma, Saturday last to attend the funeral of her niece, Miss Matilda Laurenzi, Laurence Faure, of San Francisco, also attended the obsequies.

Their Sonoma friends will be interested to know that Mr. and Mrs. Glen Murdock departed this week for an extended southland trip. They will visit the Grand Canyon, San Diego Exposition, Los Angeles, Del Monte, Santa Cruz and other points of interest.

Mrs. L. McElroy enjoyed the week-end at San Anselmo, visiting with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Hall. Mrs. McElroy is to have the pleasure of a visit from the Hall family for a time, whom she expects to arrive in Sonoma Saturday of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Crocker Van Fleet, who were married in Santa Rosa last week, and had been enjoying their honeymoon at Inverness, the country home of the Van Fleets, will spend several days with the groom's parents, Judge and Mrs. W. C. Van Fleet, in San Francisco, and while there will be motif for several social affairs.

Miss Florence Green, a student at the Lowell High School, San Francisco, spent the week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Green. This popular Sonoma girl was accompanied by her friend, Miss Julia Mowe, who attends the Girls' High School, and was a guest at the Green home. The two charming girls were among the bevy of buds at the Native Sons' Ball, Saturday night.

Miss Gladys Grey returned to her home in the City of Roses, Friday of last week, after a visit of a week as the guest of Miss Agnes Moss. Miss Moss, by-the-way, departed for a sojourn at the county seat, Wednesday. From there, Miss Moss goes to San Francisco and Oakland for a visit with friends. Miss Moss will be absent about a month, and hopes to enjoy the opening of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Glen Ellen Parlor of Native Sons was well represented at the Homeless Children Benefit Ball, given by Sonoma Parlor of Native Sons at Union Hall, last Saturday night. A bevy of our sister city's charming belles accompanied the gentlemen. The party comprised: Misses Berry and Cowan of Santa Rosa; Misses Beaulah and Ruth Kearns of the Kearns Ranch; Miss Josephine Pancrazi and Messrs. Milton Sobbe, Julius Pancrazi and Hazen Cowan.

### Notice to Creditors

Estate of Harry Hale Granice, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Grace I. Granice, Administratrix of the estate of Harry Hale Granice, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administratrix at the office of The Sonoma Index-Tribune, Sonoma, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Harry Hale Granice, deceased.

GRACE I. GRANICE, Administratrix of the estate of Harry Hale Granice, deceased. Dated, Sonoma, Cal., Jan. 30, 1915. First publication, Feb. 6, 1915.

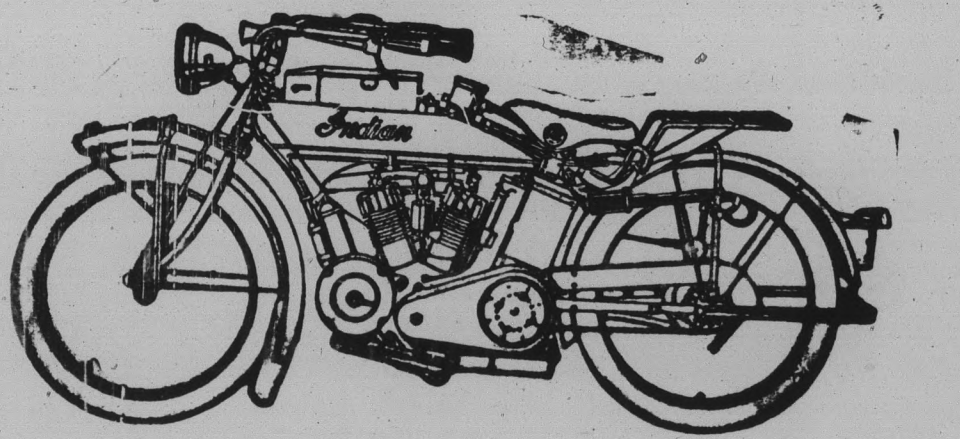
### CASTORIA

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## Sunday Services at the Churches of Sonoma

<b>Congregational Church</b> (T. M. PRICE, Pastor.) Sunday morning worship at 11 o'clock. The didactic portion will be in the obligations and reasons for trust in God. Men do not fail to experience the thrill of friendship with God because they do not act a perfect life, but because they do not trust Him. They do not trust His grace, His plan of salvation, or the beatitudes in obedience to His law. Men must trust in faith to feel the abundant reason for faith. "Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the man that trusteth in Him." Every Sunday we have a Bible School at 10 a. m., and the pastor teaches a class, where all men should meet and learn of God. The Union Meeting of the young people will be in the Congregational Church, at 6:30 p. m. Every one is invited. The Evening Service will be a Service of Song under the direction of Rev. Edwin F. Brown. Prof. M. H. Rowell's choir, with its friends, will give the people a musical treat. The people of Sonoma should not miss it, for the fingers have prepared it for them to enjoy. Encourage them in this service for the community by giving them an appreciative crowd. Mid-week service on Wednesday afternoon at 8 o'clock.	<b>Trinity Episcopal Church.</b> (J. HENRY OEHLOFF, Rector.) Sunday School at ten o'clock. Morning prayer at eleven o'clock. Evening Prayer at five o'clock.  Two study classes are being organized—one for Catechisms, preparatory to Baptism; the second to prepare candidates for Confirmation. Kindly hand in names to the rector.
<b>Methodist Episcopal Church</b> (EDWIN FRANCIS BROWN, Pastor.) Sunday School at 10 o'clock, a. m.; Rev. H. W. Walts superintendent. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.	<b>St. Francis' Catholic Church.</b> (T. M. COMMERFORD, Pastor.) Mass will be celebrated in Sonoma at 8 o'clock and also at 10:30 a. m. Mass will be celebrated at Glen Ellen, at 9 a. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

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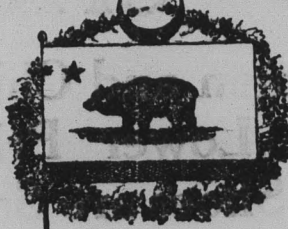
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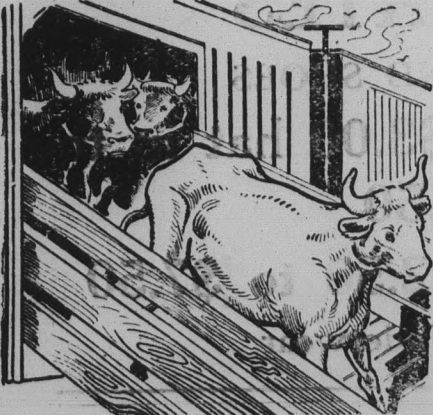
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## Rural Credits System To Be Established by State

Legislature Deliberates on Important Act Providing  
for the Incorporation, Management and Dissolu-  
tion of Rural Credit Unions.

The bill calls for a triple financial alliance between associations  
of land owners desiring money, the State and local banks selected by  
the State. Standing at the head of the system is a commission com-  
posed of the Attorney General, the State Controller and the State Treas-  
urer. A Land Loan Commission is selected by them for active charge  
of associations formed under the act.

Any ten or more people of California in city or country can apply  
to the Commission for chartering a land loan association. Capital  
stock of each association must be at least \$10,000, one-half in cash,  
10 per cent in United States bonds, while the rest can be first mort-  
gages on land owned by the incorporators. The act applies to the  
home-builder of the city as well as the farmer.

To borrow money, a land-owner must be a member of the associa-  
tion and own at least one share of stock, which can be bought on  
installments. Each share of stock is entitled to one vote, but the max-  
imum number of votes allowed to one person is ten. No money can be  
loaned unless the individual owns stock equal to five per cent of the loan.

Loan associations, when approved by the Commissioner, have  
power to loan current fund secured by first mortgages on lands within  
the loan district, to buy land mortgages of other associations, land  
bonds, United States bonds and houses necessary for the transaction of  
business.

Loan associations shall appoint two appraisers, who, with a third  
named by the State Commissioner, shall make an appraisal of all land  
upon which funds are to be loaned. Loans shall not exceed 50 per  
cent of the land value, with 25 per cent of the houses thereon when  
adequately insured.

Loans only can be made to members of the association and to  
those who are bona fide residents of the land offered as security. No  
loan to exceed \$4,000 can be made to an individual, nor to exceed 20  
per cent of the capital stock and surplus of the association making the loan.

Loans must be upon first mortgages, containing an agreement for  
the education of the loan by semi-annual amortization payments, of a  
term not less than five nor more than thirty years, extinguishable in  
whole or in part on any interest payment date. The interest shall not  
exceed the legal rate of interest.

Loans shall be made only for the liquidation of indebtedness on  
mortgaged land, to provide money for improvements, the purchase of  
equipment or livestock, or to build a home.

The State Commissioner has full power, if he wishes, to overrule  
the decision of the local boards, over all these loans, whether an ap-  
praisal of lands, the amounts, rate of interests, amortization period  
or any other detail. From him appeal can be taken to the State Loan  
Commissioner.

Against these first mortgages the land associations can issue bonds  
When these bonds have been endorsed by a local bank designated by  
the State Land Loan Commission, then the State Treasurer can invest  
State money in these bonds.

The banks endorsing these bonds get one per cent of the face value  
for their services during the lifetime of the bonds.

When an applicant for a loan wishes it, he makes application to  
his Land Loan Association, with a note and mortgage, which the asso-  
ciation endorses. It also must be endorsed by the local bank. When  
that is done the State Treasurer gets the note and mortgage, issuing  
bonds to the applicant for the loan.

Land loan associations each year must set aside out of their earn-  
ings two per cent of their capital stock, or one-fourth of their net earn-  
ings, until the amount equals twenty per cent of the capital.

Prof. Barrows of the University of California is chairman of a  
committee considering another plan. During the recess period leaders  
in the Legislature will give consideration to all of the proposed plans  
and the best will be selected for adoption.

## Grape Growers Want Law To Regulate and Control the Saloon

The California Grape Growers' Protective Association is sponsor  
of a bill to regulate the liquor traffic. The vital features of the bill are:

Placing control of the liquor business in the hands of State officials and taking such control entirely out of the hands of city and county authorities.

Distinction between licenses for sale of malt and vinous liquors and licenses for sale of spirituous liquors, with the intention of encouraging the use of the lighter beverages.

Fixing a scale of license fees to rule for all parts of the State.

Liquor licenses to be permanent during good behavior of holders of such licenses.

Issuing of licenses in accordance with ratio of population.

Creation of compensation fund to be distributed among saloons arbitrarily retired by enforcement of provisions of this law.

Permitting saloons to be opened on Sundays only between the hours of 1 p. m. and 6 p. m.

Forbidding the sale of liquor to persons of notoriously intemperate habits.

The number of bar licenses to be issued is to be restricted to one license for every 1,000 inhabitants

in municipal subdivisions contain-  
ing not more than 5,000 inhabi-  
tants; to one license for every 750  
inhabitants for not more than  
50,000 inhabitants, and to one  
license for every 500 inhabitants  
in municipal subdivisions contain-  
ing more than 50,000 inhabitants.  
A municipal subdivision is defined  
as an incorporated city, town, city  
and county, or supervisory dis-  
trict, exclusive of such portion of  
supervisory district within the  
limits of an incorporated town.

It is expected that the enforce-  
ment of the proposed law will arbi-  
trarily force many saloons now  
existing out of business. To meet  
this condition and provide adequate  
compensation for those who may  
be forced to close, a special fund is  
provided. This fund will be created  
by requiring a bonus of \$1,000  
from each successful applicant for  
a bar license at the time the law  
goes into effect, January 1, 1915.

All saloons retired are to be  
appraised by the district board, and,  
after the sale of their stock and  
fixtures by the board, an appor-  
tionment is to be made of the  
money in the compensation fund.  
This fund is to be handled exclu-  
sively by the district boards, and  
no obligation will rest upon the

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nia small rivers be introduced in  
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be kind enough to work to the ex-  
tent of having Sonoma Creek or  
river included in said bill and to  
see that the wording is of such  
character that Sonoma and El Ver-  
ano become competitive water-rail  
shipping points.

As a medium to push Sonoma  
Valley's welfare, nothing will equal  
this move and your constituents  
will appreciate your good service  
in this direction.

You no doubt are well aware of  
the difference in freight rates, com-  
paring Sonoma with Petaluma and  
Napa, which is holding down any  
and all progress of Sonoma Val-  
ley.

Yours truly,  
CHAS. SPINDLER.

The above is a copy of a com-  
munication sent by Chas. Spindler,  
of El Verano, to Hon. G. W. Salis-  
bury, Assembly representative  
from this district.

## OF INTEREST TO THE FARMER.

The Department of Agriculture  
is authorized by the Act of Congress  
making appropriations for that de-  
partment for the fiscal year ending  
June 30, 1915, to distribute certain  
new and rare forage crops, and has  
asked the cooperation of members  
of Congress in placing samples of  
these new forage crops in the hands  
of farmers who would be interested  
in testing them, and who would  
report to the Department the re-  
sults of the test. Each sample con-  
tains a sufficient quantity of seed  
for a satisfactory field trial.

The following varieties and  
amounts of seed have been allotted  
to Congressman Wm. Kent for dis-  
tribution in the First District:

Feterita—three hundred and  
sixty-five five-pound packages.

Milo—three hundred and fifteen  
four-pound packages.

Peruvian Alfalfa—thirty-five  
four-pound packages.

The seed will be sent to those  
with whom suitable arrangements  
can be made, together with full in-  
structions regarding the culture of  
the crops. The size of the packages  
has been determined as the result  
of the Department's previous ex-  
perience in the testing of these crops  
add the Department deems it advis-  
able that each individual should  
receive not more than one package  
of each variety—three packages al-  
together.

If those farmers who are inter-  
ested in testing these crops and who  
would be willing to make reports  
to the Department on the results  
of the tests, will write Congressman  
Kent, stating which of the crops  
they desire to test, he will be glad  
to forward their names to the De-  
partment, which will then send the  
seed direct to the applicant, to-  
gether with instructions for culture  
and a report card on which the re-  
port desired by the Department is  
submitted at the close of the grow-  
ing season. Those making appli-  
cation for test packages should  
write their name and address very  
plainly, so that there will be no  
mistake made in delivery of the  
seed.

State at large to reimburse any  
retired saloonkeeper.

It is provided that on week days  
saloons close, as now, between the  
hours of 2 a. m. and 6 a. m. On  
Sundays it is provided that the  
saloons remain closed between 2 a.  
m. and 1 p. m. and from 6 p. m.  
to 6 a. m. Monday morning.

The bill includes the present  
provision prohibiting the sale of  
liquor to minors, makes it unlaw-  
ful for a minor to obtain liquor or  
to misrepresent his age for the pur-  
pose of obtaining liquor.

It is made unlawful to sell li-  
quor to a person apparently intox-  
icated, or to a person notoriously  
intemperate. A district board,  
upon complaint of a member of the  
family, may serve licenses with  
notice not to supply liquor to in-  
terdicted persons, and violation of  
the order will be cause for revoca-  
tion of the license.

In the Superior Court of the State of  
California, in and for the  
County of Sonoma

OTTO VON GELDERN,

Plaintiff,

VS.

Jesse Beasley, James Prigmore, William  
W. Scott, Mary W. Scott, Hiram Smith,  
Ann McDonald, Josefa Higuera, Anna-  
stasia Higuera de Berryessa, Hosea de Ber-  
ryessa, Hosea Jesus Beriasa, M. Josepha  
Hegera, Theodore Welscholt, Margaret  
Welscholt, C. H. S. Williams, John Lude-  
mann, Anna Ludemann, Angelo Beretta,  
Casimiro Chelini and Maria Chelini, his  
wife, Leon Husson, Sonoma Valley Bank,  
a corporation, the City of Sonoma, a mun-  
icipal corporation, Wm. H. Von Hacht,  
Charles Dal Pogetto, Charles B. McDewitt,  
George Breitenbach and C. E. Johnson,  
Trustees of said City of Sonoma and also  
all other persons unknown claiming any  
right, title, estate, lien or interest in the  
real property described in the complaint  
adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any  
cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto,  
Defendants.

SUMMONS.

ROBERT A. POPPE and R. F. CRAW-  
FORD, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

THIS ACTION is brought in the Super-  
ior Court in and for the County of Sonoma  
State of California, and the complaint in  
said action is filed in the office of the  
County Clerk of said County, who is ex-  
Officio Clerk of said Court.

The People of the State of California  
send greeting to:  
Jesse Beasley, James Prigmore, William  
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Trustees of said City of Sonoma, and also  
all persons unknown, claiming any  
right, title, estate, lien or interest in the  
real property described in the complaint  
adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any  
cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto,  
Defendants.

The Plaintiff above named has brought  
an action against you, and each of you,  
in the Superior Court, in and for the County  
of Sonoma, State of California, entitled as  
above, and has filed the complaint in said  
action in the office of the county clerk of  
said county, who is ex-officio clerk of said  
court.

And you are each of you is, hereby  
directed to appear and answer the com-  
plaint in said action within ten days after  
the service on you of this summons—  
if served within this County; and if served  
elsewhere and without said county, then  
within thirty days after service of same  
upon you.

And you are hereby notified that, unless  
you so appear and answer as above re-  
quired, said plaintiff will take judgment  
for any money damages demanded in  
the complaint, as arising upon contract,  
or he will apply to the said Court for any  
relief demanded in the Complaint.

The real property affected by said action  
is situated, lying and being in the City of  
Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of Cal-  
ifornia, and bounded and particularly  
described as follows, to wit:

First: Part of Lot No. 35, on the East  
side of the Plaza of Sonoma, beginning at  
a point in the westerly line of said lot at  
the Southwest corner of land formerly  
owned by Lorenzo Modini, and running  
thence southerly along and with said west-  
erly line of said lot a distance of seventy-  
three (73) feet to a point; thence easterly  
and parallel with the southerly line of said  
lot a distance of one hundred and nine  
(109) varas to the westerly line of lot No.  
36; thence Northerly along and with the  
westerly line of said lot No. 36, a distance  
of seventy-three (73) feet to a point, and  
thence westerly and parallel with the  
southerly line of said lot No. 36 a distance  
of one hundred and nine (109) varas to the  
point of beginning.

Second: Part of Lot No. 36, as designated  
on the official map of said City, commencing  
at the Northeast corner of lot No. 35,  
and running East, along the Street now  
called Spain Street 60 yards, and from  
thence in a Southerly direction 109 varas to  
the South line of said lot No. 36; thence in  
a westerly direction along the said south  
line, 60 yards to the Southwest corner of  
said lot No. 36; thence in a Northerly  
direction, along the west line of said lot  
No. 36, 109 varas to the place of beginning.

The object of said action is as follows:  
1. To oblige the said Defendants to set  
forth the nature of their claims in and to  
said lands.

2. To obtain a decree of said Court  
whereby all claims of said Defendants, all  
and singular, in and to said lands, adverse  
to the said Plaintiff's ownership thereof  
shall be determined.

3. To obtain a decree of said Court de-  
claring and adjudging that said Plaintiff  
is the owner in fee simple of said lands,  
and that said Defendants all and singular,  
have no estate in or to said lands, or any  
part thereof.

4. To have said Defendants, all and  
singular, by said Court, forever enjoined  
and debarred from asserting any claim  
whatever in or to said lands, adverse to  
said plaintiff.

5. To obtain an award and allowance by  
said Court to said Plaintiff of his costs in  
said action; and to obtain such other relief  
as in the premises shall to said Court seem  
meet.

Given under my hand and the seal of  
said Superior Court in and for the County  
of Sonoma, State of California, this 22nd  
day of June, A. D. 1914.

W. W. FELT, Jr.,  
Clerk of said Court  
(SEAL)

By L. A. WINANS  
Deputy Clerk  
(10 21 5)

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